

### **Amendments to the Specification:**

Please delete application section "Cross-Reference to Related Applications" which begins on page 1 of the specification, and replace with the following replacement section:

#### **Cross Reference to Related Applications**

~~This application is related to:~~

~~—— United States Patent Application, Serial No. 60/466,333, entitled "*Improved System And Method For Storing And Retrieving Images In A Document Processing System*" (Kryka et al.), filed April 29, 2003 (this application claiming priority therefrom); and,~~

~~—— United States Patent Application, Serial No. <TBD>, entitled "*Index File Structure For Use With Image Data In A Document Processing System*" (Kryka et al.) filed concomitantly herewith;~~

This application is related to United States Patent Application No. 10/714,121, filed on November 14, 2003, which is hereby incorporated by reference.

This application claims the benefit of United States Provisional Application No. 60/466,333, filed on April 29, 2003, which is hereby incorporated by reference.

~~both of which are incorporated by reference herein and assigned to the assignee of the present application.~~